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FM AMEMBASSY LIMA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8913

INFO AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

AMEMBASSY PANAMA

C O N F I D E N T I A L LIMA 1296

BUENOS AIRES FOR LEGATT

PANAMA FOR RSS

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: ASEC, PE

SUBJ:LETTER BOMB CUBAN EMBASSY IN LIMA, FEB 4, 1974

REF: LIMA 1222 AND PREVIOUS

1. EMBASSY POLITICAL OFFICER AND RSO HELD CONVERSATION WITH AN ISRAELI EMBASSY SOURCE WHO STATED THAT HE WAS TOLD BY AUTHORITATIVE SOURCE IN SIN (NATIONAL INTELLIGENCE SERVICE). THAT IT HAD BEEN ESTABLISHED THAT THE BOMB THAT EXPLODED AT THE CUBAN EMBASSY ON FEB 4 WAS MAILED FROM MEXICO, WAS INSIDE A HOLLOWED OUT BOOK, AND HAD EXPLODED AS THE LARGE BROWN ENVELOPE

WAS BEING OPENED BY THE SECRETARY.

2. EXCEPT TO NOTE THAT THE TRIGGER MECHANISM OF THE BOMB WAS ARRANGED TO DETONATE AS THE ENVELOPE WAS BEING OPENED, THE ISRAELI SOURCE HAD NO FURTHER KNOWLEDGE OF THIS EVENT.

3. COMMENT: NOTWITHSTANDING APRA OR PIP VERSIONS OF
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BOMBING REPORTED REFTELS, MOST LIKELY EXPLANATION OF EVENTS IS THAT GIVEN IN PARA 1.

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